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## BEST SPORTING PAGE IN NEW YORK

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ROBERT EDGRENR. Edgren's  
COLUMNEnglish Unable to See Anything  
Good in American Athletic  
Sport.

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THEY are having a great discussion in England over "American training methods."

Somehow or other the English, ever since we tipped them from the athletic throne, have been unable to see anything good in American athletic sport.

"The Englishman's idea is to have a good game; winning is of secondary importance," said one speaker.

However, I've noticed that all England chortled with glee whenever Oxford and Cambridge managed to down a visiting American college team. Perhaps the real idea, in England, is that "winning is of secondary importance" when the other fellow wins.

"Do you not think it is a little undignified," the speaker went on, "for a nation which is the father of sport to indulge in this great rush for victory?"

And when, my compunctious Englishman, did England become the "father of sport?"

Seems to me that I've heard the old Greeks, while Britons were still living in mud huts in the marshes, wearing skins of wild animals and lighting with copper tipped spears and copper swords, held their Olympic Championships at four year intervals during the course of twelve centuries. The Greeks have some claim to priority in "fathering" sports.

"The trouble with American athletes," says another speaker, "is that they entirely lack humor and sense of proportion."

Coming from an Englishman, that is a sad accusation indeed. I suppose that with the aid of a sense of humor John Paul Jones could run a mile in three minutes and George Horne clear seven or eight feet in a running high jump.

DR. MORLEY was of the opinion that "professional football is sapient at the foundation of amateurism."

This at least doesn't apply to the United States. England is swarming with professional football teams. There are practically none in this country.

LAST year at the Laurel Hill track in Maryland twenty-one bookmakers paid \$24 a day each for the privilege of making book. And there was about a mile in three minutes at that meet as at any of the New York tracks when they were running.

Can any one doubt after that that the bookies have a copper riveted clench on the public's money?

Where does "money" come in in this sure-thing game?

BOMBARDIER WELLS says that he would like to fight Johnson. Perhaps Wells would have a chance with Johnson now, but there isn't a club in America that would put the big negro on with any white man of any nationality. I doubt that there is a club that would even put Johnson on against a man of his own race.

Jack Johnson, a fighter, is dead and buried as far as this country is concerned. If he gets away from Chicago he may be allowed to box again in France or Russia. They're less sensitive to certain things over there.

LUTHER MCARTY is the man Wells should box. That would make a great match. Mcarty is undoubtedly a rapidly improving and very effective fighter. Wells is astonishingly clever, and an amazing hitter for a man of his weight. If it ended within five or six rounds Wells would be full of problems. If it ended in all probability he would be the winner. If it went over ten Mcarty would surely be the successful candidate.

ONLY pari-mutuel betting will be allowed on Maryland tracks after this.

There can be no objection to this. It does away with the crooks that infect the tracks. It obliterates the bookmakers. It knocks out the temptation to bet heavily, for the heavier the betting on any one horse the less favorable are the odds.

We ought to have racing in New York State, with the pari-mutuel system legalized, and all other betting, all bookmaking, absolutely prohibited.

3 Stars Entered  
In Shotput Event

Among the entries for the shot putting contest at the New York Athletic Club games Wednesday evening in Madison Square Garden are Pat McDonald, the Olympic champion; Russell L. Beatty, the intercollegiate champion, and Larry Whitney of Dartmouth College, who showed his worth on the American team at the Olympic Games by securing third place to McDonald and Rose. McDonald is in prime condition just now, so there is every probability that a new indoor mark will be in order. Although Beatty has not quite recovered from the effects of the dislocation he suffered last fall, he has been doing very well in practice and is confident he will make a good showing. Whitney has been doing a lot of gymnasium work and has gained round and weight, which means that he will be better than any of his previous performances.

JOHN MCGRAW  
KEEPING HIS EYE  
ON THINGSHARRY STEVENS  
AND  
BARNEY DREYFUSS

## NOTES OF A PAID AMATEUR

BY BOZEMAN BULGER.

FRANK CHANCE is the name, New York is the place and 5 o'clock is the time. That practically covers the official debut of the Peoria League as manager of the Highlanders. The American League magnates met this morning and are killing time in pleasant conversation and things until the arrival of the Lake Shore Limited. Chance will then be declared a "pro." And there you are. The P. L. will probably give out a statement like this: "I'm not claiming the pennant, but we will be in there trying."

THE WORST IS ALMOST OVER. The National League meets to-morrow. Its duties consist of voting to open the season April 10 and extending thanks to the schedule committee. After that there will be loud, impatient cries for the busy waters. The following day will mark the surrender of the magnates for the season. The rest of the year will be turned over to the players. (Prolonged applause.)

PASSING THE BUCK TO JAMES E. SULLIVAN. With nothing else to do, Dan Johnson, Tom Lynch, Garry Herrman, Frank Bancroft and Clark Griffith will get together and request the Amateur Athletic Union to lift the ban on baseball and permit college athletes to take part in summer games, so that they may earn their tuition without having to hide behind false names, and still retain their amateur standing. Now, there is a real idea that sounds almost too sane to be true.

PLENTY OF IT SPILLED AT BASE BALL MEETING. Having heard that \$23,000 worth of wines and liquors was poured into the gutter by the State Excise Commissioner Saturday in the presence of a large crowd, Charley Murphy had the department on the phone for a half hour today urging them to have the show over for the benefit of the members of his team who have signed the pledge. "A little cry would do them good," says C. Webb.

BRITISH BOYS ARE BAD SHOTS. A despatch from London tells of two boys having used a \$12,000 Gainsborough portrait for "an archer's target for several months." One arrow went through the neck and the other pierced the lady's hair. There is a lawsuit over the possession of the picture, which, we believe, would have been unnecessary if American boys had been shooting at it with air rifles.

"RED" AMES SUGGESTED IN YEARS AGO. A story in the society column tells of the terrific battling of the Knickerbocker Club baseball team against the Calumet in a game played near Fifth avenue. In giving the line-up, the writer mentions but six on a side, their positions being first, second and third base, shortstop, pitcher and catcher. The big leagues might also be able to improve hitting by cutting out the outfield.

SUFFRAGETTES HAVE FOUND A CHAMPION. Our idea of a man who believes in women voting is Schuyler P. Britton of St. Louis. By owning a majority of the stock of the St. Louis National League ball club, his wife, Mrs. Helen Hathaway Britton, had enough votes to elect him to the presidency at a salary of \$5,000 a year, to say nothing of a share in the profits.

WELL, A DINNER IS A DINNER. The Charles H. Ebbets Chowder, Marching and Historical Club is on its mark and ready. A blue note was sounded, however, when Col. Ebbets was cautioned against giving a party until he was certain of getting the opening date for the dedication of Ebbets Field. Still, from the tips going around, there is a chance of a Frank Chance Association organizing.

IS BLOOD THICKER THAN WATER? Johnny Evers came down from Troy and brought with him his brother, who has been turned over to McGraw for the purpose of making him into a Giant. What we want to know is who is the younger Evers going to put for next season—Cubs or Giants?

SOME PEOPLE WILL TALK TOO MUCH. Our old confidence friend declares that the recent upheaval in the Police Department is due to the growing knowledge of automobiles. "Just as Richard Roe, remains with us, if they tipped their mitts," he explains, "they tipped their mitts." Is this a blow at the anti-noise crusade?

AND THEN THERE IS JANE DOE. A despatch from down South says that John Doe, a negro laborer, was killed by the wreck of a worst train. It was not for the fact that he could, Richard Roe, remains with us, if they tipped their mitts," he explains, "they tipped their mitts." Is this a blow at the anti-noise crusade?

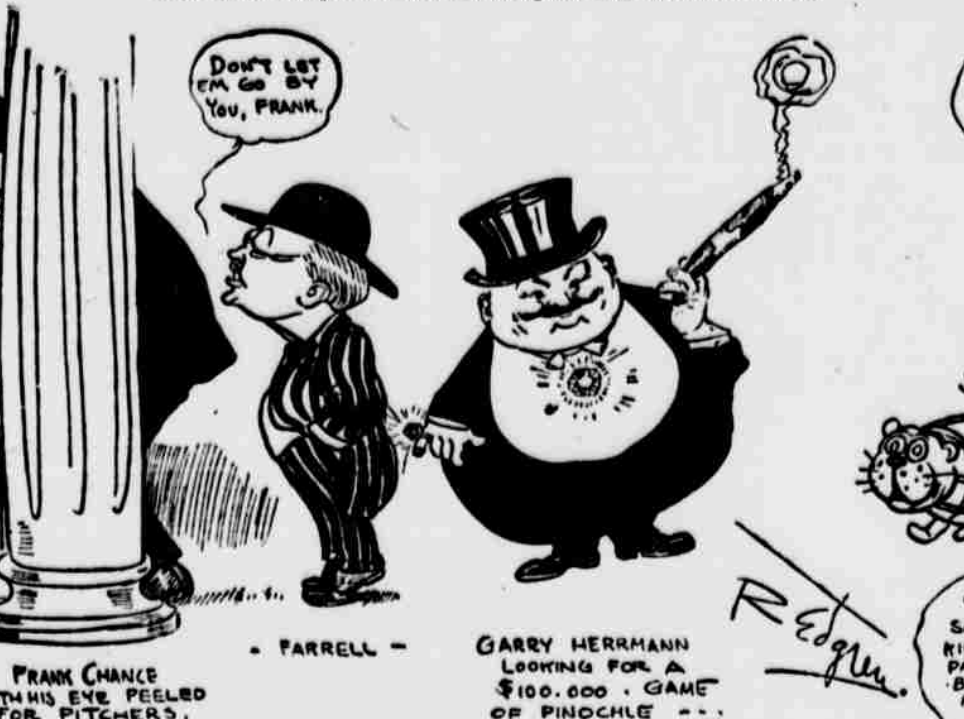
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GARRY HERRMANN  
LOOKING FOR A  
\$100,000 GAME  
OF PINOCHEPalzer Arrives in England  
In Very Weak Condition

BY JOHN POLLOCK.

L. PALZER, the big white heavy-weight, who was stopped by Luther McCarty in sixteen rounds on New Year's Day, has arrived in England. According to a cablegram just received in this city from Plymouth, the Iowa farmer was in a very weak condition when he landed, having been ill from malaria fever and asthenia all the way over. Palzer expects to fight Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight, in Paris on June 26.

Knockout Brown arrived at Los Angeles in safety and at once went into training for his fight with the big white heavy-weight, who was stopped by Luther McCarty in sixteen rounds on New Year's Day, has arrived in England. According to a cablegram just received in this city from Plymouth, the Iowa farmer was in a very weak condition when he landed, having been ill from malaria fever and asthenia all the way over. Palzer expects to fight Jack Johnson, the colored heavyweight, in Paris on June 26.

Both Kid Williams of Baltimore and Eddie Camp of Peoria are taking things easy now in view of their twenty-round battle at Vernon, Cal., Wednesday afternoon. They will weigh in at 118 pounds tonight. The California is a 10 to 5 favorite. The winner will be given a chance to box Creamer Colton for the title.

Despite reports to the contrary, Jack Britton and Paddy McFarland will go through their match race for the Garden seat tonight. The match race is in regard to weight. Britton insists they

Advice to the  
Heart  
Hungry

The Bow-legged Bear.

Dear Editor:—

I am a young man with bow legs and a pure heart. I think my girl loves me but I am so bashful that I always get in bad.

Last night I was so fussed when she sat in my lap that I let her fall through on the floor. She said if I couldn't hold my own better than that I could go home. Can you suggest anything that will help me bear up better?

Yours in bad,  
E. Beaumont Billings

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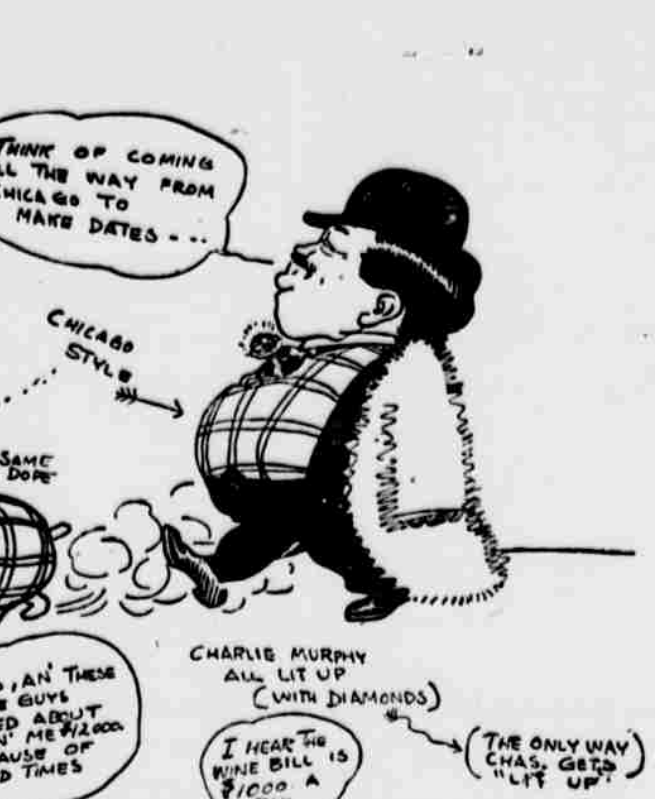
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CHARLIE MURPHY  
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(WITH DIAMONDS)

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SAM BERNARD

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World's Tourney

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The second week's rolling will start tonight. Although the tournament has been in progress a week, and 100 teams have competed, yet only eight fobs have been won.

The following special dates have been assigned: Feb. 25, All States Island League, 20 teams; Monday, March 2, Silk Bowling League, 35 teams; Wednesday, March 5, New York Edition A. A., 25 teams.

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